The Government report states that the average condition of oats improved 8 points during July and is 6.6 higher than a year ago, 4.8 higher than two years ago, and 8.3 higher

than the mean of August averages for the last ten years. Barley improved 1 point dur-ing July and is 14.3 points higher than a year

ago. Spring barley declined 7 points during

July and is 4.7 points lower than a year ago. The condition of buckwheat is 93.2, potatoes 93, and timothy hay 86.7.

points. The movement to-day was as fol

. (35 new) 43 (1 new) 16

Augusta shipped to-day 149 bales; Memphis

at New Orleans, La., .02 at Charleston, S. C. The Signal Service predicted fair weather for the next thirty-six hours. New Orleans advanced 5 to 7 points. Futures here closed barely steady at a net advance

The trading in cotton was again active to-day, and though there were some traces of irregularity, the tendency of prices, on the

pointing Liverpool advices and realizing for local and outside account, together with some Liverpool selling, was reflected in an

was predicted for the next thirty-six hours. The government report gave the condition at 84, against 87.8 on July 1, 91.2 on August 1 last year, and 85.8, the mean of the ave-

rages for the last ten years. The condition given, however, is for the last of August, and it is pretty generally believed that since that date there has been a further deterio-

plants are strong and healthy, rains perfect for the crop." Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 9.—"Crop accounts are good, but rain would be beneficial." Atlanta, Aug. 9.—"Dry weather beginning to hurt the crop." Augusta, Ga., Aug. 9.—"Extremely hot; no rains upper section."

COFFEE—Rio on the spot was easier at 5% of No. 7. Sales of 1,400 bags Costa Rica, and 1,800 Maracalbo. Futures were unchanged to 5 points lower, closing barely stendy. Sales 10,000 bags. Havre declined 1, to 1, fr. Hamburg declined 4, pfg. American warehouse deliveries, 17,784 bags. Rio was steady at 75 reis decline; receipts, 12.—

was steady at 75 rets decline; receipts, 12.

cline of 1-16d. Santos was unchanged; re-ceipts, 42,000; stock, 702,000. Prices here as

Sales. Highest. Lowest. 1,000 5.00 5.00

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Coffee was less active and easier, owing to disappointing cables, local and foreign sell-

Ing for both accounts, and a falling off it

the demand. Still there was no great pres Sure to sell, and the decline was slight.

NAVAL STORES—Spirits turpentine, 494

@50e. Common to good strained rosin.

\$1.45.

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PROVISIONS.—Lard was steady: Western.
\$5.50; Continental refined, \$5.85. Pork was easy at \$8.75@9.50 for mess. Ments were steady: pickled hams. 104@10%c.; do. shoulders. \$6.; do. bellies. \$67. Tallow, 4%c. Dressed hogs. 5%@64c. Butter—Creamery. Western. extras. 18@184c.; do. firsts. 174@18; state extras. 18@184c.; do. firsts. 174c. Cheese—State, full cream, large or small. colored or white, choice. \$44@34c. Eggs.—State, Pennsylvania, and Western. 154.67.51.c.

Vestern, 151/20161/2c.
Chicago, Aug. 10.—Provisions were firm

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Provisions were firm part of the day on some improvement in

the cash demand, but September liquidation

and selling of deferred deliveries by pack-ers caused a weak closing at moderate de-clines. The weakness in the hog market

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293,000; exchange, 8 3-16d., a de

whole was towards a higher level.

of 3 to 7 points. Prices as follows:

Port receipts.

FLOUR.-Quiet, but steady. Sales, 8,000

day cooler.

The government monthly being issued until an hour after the closing of the Stock Exchauge, was without effect on the stock market. It showed a condition of 83.6 for spring wheat, against 91.7 last month, and indicated a crop of 234,000,000 bushels, against a crop in 1898 of 295,341.-414 hushels, which was the largest crop on record. The decline in the condition of spring wheat was about what had been counted on. The report showed a condition for corn of 89.9, against 85.5 last month, and indicated a crop of 2,220,000,000 bushels, against 1,924,184,660 bushels in 1898. The largest crop of corn ever raised was 2,283.-875,165 bushels in 1896. There is time for a further gain in the condition of corn, so that the crop of 1896 may be exceeded. The discrepancy in winter and spring wheat has been made up by receipts of old wheat from farms, so that the situation as regards the crops is eminently satisfactory. The being issued until an hour after the closing from farms, so that the situation as regards the crops is eminently satisfactory. The grain-carrying railroads are assured of a liberal grain tonnage for a year to come. Speculative interest was chiefly in the industrial stocks. The United States Leather issues led in the dealings. The purchases of the common stock were very heavy, and were based on a prospective improvement in the status of the stock by some arrangement whereby the back dividends on the preferred stock will be taken care of, important interests were buyers of the rangement whereast and the preferred stock will be taken care of the Leather stocks. There was considerable doing in Sugar Refining, with a fair advance in the stock. American Tobacco closed unchanged, while in Continental Tobacco there was a fractional gain in the preferred and a moderate loss in the common. There was an increase in the trading in the American Linseed issues, and they moved up in price. The Steel stocks were conspicuous for strength. Advances of a point or more were made by Steel and Wire, Steel Hoop, National Steel, Tennesse Coal and Iron, and Colorado Fuel and Iron, and Colorado Fuel and Iron, and Colorado Fuel and Iron, Brunswick was in demand and had a good Caal and from and command and had a good riac. People's Gas was another stock that was in request. The railroad stocks were strong. The more active ones were Atchi-son preferred, Burlington and Quincy, Northern Pacific and Southern Pacific.

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Government bonds easier. The 4s of 1925 closed \(^1_{4}\) per cent. lower bid, and the 5s closed \(^1_{8}\) per cent. lower bid. Rallway and other bonds firm. The features were Colorado Southern 4s. Colorado Fuel and Iron 5s. Kansas and Texas 24s. Kansas City. Pittsburg and Gulf 1sts. Pacific Coast 1sts. Union Pacific 4s. Atchison, Baltimore and Ohio, and Oregon Short Line issues.

Commercial price of bar silver in New York, 604sc. Bar silver in London closed at 27 11-16d. Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 48c. *Ex-dividend.

Money on call 3@3% per cent. Time mo-

six months good mixed loans, 30 per cent. industrials. Commercial paper is quoted at 4.04½ per cent. for bills receivable; acceptances and prime single names, 4.04½ per per cent., and a slightly easier feeling in the open market at London. Bills were offered sparingly, and this also had a tendency to sustain rates. Continental was quiet but firm. Posted rates are: Long drafts, \$4.83%; sight drafts, \$4.87. Actual rates are: Long bills, \$4.82% with the sight drafts, \$4.86% \$4.86%, and cable transfers, \$4.86% @\$4.87; francs are

September 2.

The Park Steel Company has declared a quarterly dividend of 1% per cent. on its preferred stock, payable September 1.

The American Linseed Company has declared a dividend of 1% per cent. on its preferred stock, payable September 15.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Com-

pany reports gross earnings for July of \$2,628,849, an increase of \$322,858, as compared with the same month last year.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company leased lines) reports for the quarter ended June 30:

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The Boston and Albany Railroad Company eports for the quarter ended June 30: Gross sarn'gs. \$2,4'4.523 \$2.208.379 Inc. \$160,144 Op. exp. 1.624.891 1.507.545 Inc. 121.340 Net from op. \$775.632 \$700.834 Inc. \$74.798 Fixed ch'g's. 117.790 108.130 Inc. 0.669 Net income . \$657,832 \$562,703 Inc. \$65,029 The general balance sheet shows cash on hand \$1,343,236, and a profit and loss (surplus) \$507,386.

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The receipts of the government to-day were: Customs, \$697,504; internal re-venue, \$877,050; and miscellaneous, \$94,963; a total of \$1,669,517. The disbursements were \$1,925,000, an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$255,483. The receipts of RAT. 8% 81% 79% 81% 81% 42% a total of \$1,669,517. The discontinues over 1,925,000, an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$255,483. The receipts of the fiscal year to date have been \$64,616,606, and the expenditures over receipts of \$1,000 BAP 28 28% 28 28 29 and the expenditures over receipts of \$1,485,484.

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Available cash balance, including gold reserve \$272.819.277 \$273.333.339

Money in London 2½ per cent. Rate of discount in open market for short and three-months' bills, 258.23½ per cent. Amount of bullion gone into the Bank of England on balance to-day £110.009. The Bank of England minimum rate of discount in corp could hardly be better; plants are strong and healthy; rains perfect. England on balance to-day £110,000. The Bank of England minimum rate of discount unchanged at 3½ per cent. The proportion of its reserve to liabilities is 44.78 per cent. against 43.89 last week, and 45.42 the same week last year. The weekly statement of the bank shows the following changes from the previous account: Total reserve increased £582.000, circulation decreased £233,000, builion increased £303, 425; "other" securities decreased £263.000 425; "other" securities decreased £263,000 "other" deposits increased £510,000, public deposits decreased £257,000; notes reserve increased £471,000; government securities decreased £4,000. Paris advices quote 3 per cents at 99 francs 80 centimes. Ex-change on London, 35 francs 24½ centimes. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes. Notes circulation decreased 94,725,000 francs ressury accounts current increased 4.350. 000 francs; gold on hand increased 2,975,900 francs; bills discounted decreased 153,025,-000 francs; silver on hand decreased 3,-

900,000 franca. COMMERCIAL.

THURSDAY, Aug. 10.-GRAIN--Wheat-Spot was steady, with sales of 300,000 bush-Spot was steady, with sales of 300,000 bushels for export here and at the outports. No. 1 Northern Duluth 2½c. over Sept. f. o. b. affost; No. 1 hard Duluth 5½c. over; No. I. Northern New York 1½c. over. The Northwestern receipts were 155 cars, against 225 last week and 77 last year; Chicago, 8. against 94 last week and 112 last year. Futures advanced 4cc, but reacted and declined 4 to %c., with sales of 1,065,-000 bushels. Prices as follows:

| Open High Low Clos Last | Open High Low Clos Last | Open High Low Clos Last | Open High Color | Open Oats were firmer on the spot. Sales 240, 000 bushels, including 116,000 for export, here and at the outports. No. 2 in elevator 28c., No. 2 white 29c., track and ungraded 48% Philafrac D9% D9% white 200 acc. track and ungraded white 200 acc. Chicago received 204 cars and expects 370 to morrow. Corn was steady on the spot. Sales, 236,000 bushels for expot wals Co. 63 534 over Sept. in Chicago; do. white, 808%c. 27% Wels Coom 12% 12% core. Chicago received 528 cars and expects 36 Wels Cyf., 64 — pects 283 to-morrow. Futures declined

4 to %c., with sales of 110,000 bushels. and also the grain market was an influenand also the grain market was an inductival factor.

SUGAR.—Raw was dull at 4%@4 9-16c. for 96-test, and 4c. for 89-test. Sales of 300 tons, and 318 bags muscovados, 89-test, at 4c. Refined was in fair demand and steady. Open-High Low-Clos Last fog val. est ing Night 37 37 3015 2012 27 355% 355% 5472 3415 6356 35% 355% 35 35 CHICAGO, Aug. 10.-These were to-day's Wheat advanced a trifle at the opening, ow-

ing to higher cables, some foreign buying, moderate receipts, and covering of shorts on fears of a bullish Government report. Liverrears of a builtsh Government report. Liverpool rose %d. to \(\frac{1}{2}\)d. and Paris \(\frac{1}{2}\)d. to \(\frac{1}{2}\)d.
for wheat and 10 centimes for flour. Chicago
received 5s cars, of which only 18 were new.
The Northwestern receipts were about 75 cars
smaller than a week ago. Threshing returns
from the Northwest were disappointing, owfrom the Northwest were disappointing, ow-ing to premature ripening. Later on, how-ever, local operators sold, and prices declined slightly. The weather in the Northwest was cooler. In the extreme North at seven A. M. the temperatures ranged from 48 to 56 de-grees; in Minnesota and the Dakotas 58 to 64; in Iowa and Nebraska, 58 to 78; in Kan-nas, Missouri, Illinois, and Indiana, 70 to 76. Neg. Sept. Oct. Jan. Pork: There were rains in the extreme North, and light scattered showers in the Dakotas, Minuscota, Kansas, and Eastern Iowa. The forecast for thirty-six hours is as follows: Illionis, Indiana, Missouri, Michigan, and 82715 825 835 825 94215 93715 P OTHER MARKETS. Cent. High Low-cent. est. Wisconsin, showers to-day, fair and cooler Friday; Minnesota, Iowa, Dakotas, Nebras-ka, Kansas, and Colorado fair to-day, and Fri-Clos-Open-The Price-Current says that wheat indications are not enlarged nor es-sentially lowered. The dulness of the specu-lation and the continued indifference of out-siders were the worst features. The Govern-6754 661m ment report was received at four o'clock, and stated the average condition of spring wheat at 83.6 per cent., a decline during July of 8.1 per cent. A year ago the condition was 95.5 and two years ago it was 86.7. The condition 7114 7114 72744 7212 71% 71% and two years ago it was 86.7. The condition on August 1, this year, was 3 points below the mean of August averages for the last ten years. The condition in the principal states is as follows: Minnesota, 90, Iowa, 89; Nebraskn, 66; South Dakota, 84; North Dakota, 6914 7214 69 09 72 72 60 72 69% 72% Live-Stock Market. braska, 66; South Dakota, 84; North Dakota, 86; Washington 85, and Oregon 81. The report was reflected in an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}c.\text{ to } 7c.\text{ to } 7c.\text{

NEW YORK, THURSDAY, Aug. 10, 1896.
Receipts of beeves were 160 head, all for sinuspterers. No trading Nominally steady treesed
beef firm at 8629c per ib, for common to choice
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quoted American cattle higher at 11\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\ seiling at the per lb. No experts of cattle or bord to day.

Receipts of calves were 45 head, all for sale. Firm for live calves and all sold, medlum weak at \$0.50 per 100 lba; Southern calves at \$4.50 per 100 lba; Soldhern calves at \$4.50 per 100 lba; Common to good sheep sold at \$2.7564.43 per 100 lba; Common to good sheep sold at \$2.7564.43 per 100 lba; Common to good sheep sold at \$2.7564.43 per 100 lba; Common to good sheep sold at \$2.7564.43 per 100 lba; Common to good sheep sold at \$2.7564.43 per 100 lba; Common to good sheep sold at \$2.7564.43 per 100 lba; Common to good sheep sold for all the forest of hogs were 921 head, all for slaughter-crs. Nominally sheedy at \$4.6605.10 per 100 lba; for good heavy to choice light hogs. Illinots, 91; Iowa, 82; Missouri, 88; Kansas, 196, and Nebraska, 99. Oats were easier with the rest of the list. The Price-Current says that oats promise 760,000,000 bushels or more.

The clean-up of the Republic, Republic Camp, Wash, for July amounted to \$60,000. It is reported that the Lucky Strike and Wisconsin claims on Sixteen Mile Creek, near Nelson, B. C., have been bonded to Spokane parties for \$300,000.

Reports from Index Wash, note that a

Reports from Index, Wash., note that a company has been formed with a capitali-zation of \$10,000,000, to build a town to be named Hewitt, to erect a smelter, construct a road to connect with the Great Northern Railway, and drive a tunnel to crosscut twenty-seven leads in the district. This is a big enterprise, but its promoters are confident of carrying it through in first-class style, and giving a great impetus to

FLOUR.—Quiet, but steady. Sales, 8,000 barrels. Receipts were 6,027 barrels and 17,765 sacks; exports, 1,890 barrels and 9,178 sacks. Winter in barrels: Superfine, \$2.15 #2.30; No. 2 extra, \$2.40@2.50; clears, \$3.00 @3.10; straights, \$3.20@3.35; patents, \$3.50 @3.75. Spring in barrels: Clears, \$3.00 @3.10; straights, \$3.35@2.50; patents, \$3.65 @3.75. this promising district.

The Blue Bells Gold-Mining Company, Li-COTTON.—Spot cotton here advanced 14c., mited, has been formed in London to secure the well-known Blue Bell group at Frederick with sales of 113 for spinning. Middling Uplands, 6%c., against 6 1-16c. last year; New Orleans and Gulf, 6%, against 6 5-16c. Galveston and Savannah advanced 1-16c. Arm, B. C. The capital stock is \$750,000, in \$5 shares. Recent assays from the Eagle at Mercur, New Orleans sold 1,000 bales, Memphis 800, Norfolk 103, and Galveston 52 bales. Liver-pool was unchanged on the spot, with sales of 10,000 bales; futures advanced 1 to 112

Utah, show 498 ounces silver and 6.5 per cent, copper. Salt Lake advices note that ore has been struck in the La Reine at Tintle, in which appears copper-glance malachite, azurite, and black sulphuret of silver. Receipts of gold dust at the sampling-rooms of the Consolidated Kansas Smelting and Refining Company last week amounted to 3,100 pounds, valued at \$160,000. Letters from Juneau, Alaska, state that

another copper discovery has been made in the Chilkeot Mountains, back of Pyramid har Augusta Shipped to-day 149 bales; Memphis 244, St. Louis 371, Cincinnati 376, and Houston S. Port exports, 4,504 bales. The Bombay receipts for the week were 12,000 bales, against 5,000 last year; shipments, 2,000 to the Continent, against 6,000 last year; to Great Britain none against none. The rainfall for the past twenty-four hours included 18 of an inch at Savannah, Ga., 14 at New Orleans, La. 62 at Charleston, S. bor. Assay gives \$50 gold and 50 per copper. The most wonderful part of story is the statement that the ledge, which is 10 inches thick, can be traced for 40 miles. Mr. A. Hannuer, the smelter expert of Salt Lake, has been examined before the industrial commission in regard to general mining conditions of the West. In his tes-timony he stated that for smelters a ten-hour day is the proper thing, but that he believes in eight-hour shifts for miners. With silver at 60 cents an ounce, he be-lieves there is more profit in mining silver ores than when the white metal was 90 Closing, 5, 7665-77 cents per ounce, owing to the recommendation of supplies. Mr. Hanauer also des the smelter combine will be a ben mining industry in the long run. cents per ounce, owing to the reduced cost of supplies. Mr. Hanauer also declared that the smelter combine will be a benefit to the

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A. J. HEMPHILL, Secretary.

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Notice is hereby given that a dividend of ONE
AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. has been declared
on the Capital Stock of this Company, payable to the
Stockholders on August 25th, 1896.
The transfer books will close in New York on
August 12th, 1896, at noon, and will re-open August
26th, 1899, at 10 A. M.
L. A. WILEY, Secretary.

ONSOLIDATED RUBBER TIRE COMPANY. CONSOLIDATED RUBBER TIRE COMPANY.
TRESTINS, N. J. Angust S. 1880.
The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of ONE AND ONE HALF Percent, 1% percention the Preferred Stock of this Company, payable Sept. 1st, 1880, to Stockholders of record at the close of business on August 19th.
The Transfer Books of the preferred Stock will be closed at the close of business on August 19th, an respect Sept. 2nd, 1880.
Checks will be mailed.
FREDEGICK A. SEAMAN,
Becretary.

National Tube Company—The transfer books and the stock ledgers of both the Preferred Stock and the Common Stock of the National Tube Company will, in accordance with a vote of its Board of Directors be closed from 2 o'clock P. M. Aug. 15, 1800, until 10 o'clock A. M., Sept. 1, 1800, for the authorized of the company will. Aug. 15, 1800, and exchanging the permanent cer-tificates of stock for the temporary certificates now held by its accessfullers.

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Mails for China, Japan and Hawaii, per essamship Hong Kong Maru from San Francisco), close here daily up to Aug. \$12 at 6:30 P. M. Mails for China and Japan, per steamship Empress of Japan from Vancouver, close here daily up to Aug. \$18 at 6:30 P. M. Mails for Hawaii, per steamship Australia from San Francisco; close here daily up to Aug. \$18 at 6:30 P. M. Mails for Hawaii, per steamship Australia except West Australia. Hawaii and Fiji Islands, per steamship Miowera (from Vancouver, close here daily up to Aug. \$18 at 6:30 P. M. Mails for Australia except leading a fife Aug. \$4 and up to Aug. \$18 at 6:30 P. M. Mails for Francisco; close here daily after Aug. \$4 and up to Aug. \$18 at 6:30 P. M. Mails for China and Japan, per steamship Hooma from Tacoma, close here daily up to Aug. \$11 at 6:30 P. M. Mails for Australia except those for West Australia, which are forwarded via Europe). New Zesland, Hawaii, Fiji and Samoan Islands, per eteamship Alameda (from San Francisco), close hore daily after Aug. \$18 and up to Sept. \$1 at 6:30 P. M. or on day of arrival of steamship Campania, which will probably arrive Sept. \$1. Transpacine mails are forwarded to port of saling daily, and the schedule of closing is arranged on the presumption of their uninterrupted overland transfer for the first of the Mails for Power and the Schedule of Consegue at the P. M. previous day. ONNELIUS VAN COTT, Postmaster.

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Hannisburg, Pa. Aug. 10.—Chief of Police
Kautz has arrested Gardner R. Badger, who also went by the name of Fred Smith, and

who is wanted in New York city on a charge of embezziement from the Panama Steamship Company. The young man says this is his first offence and attributes his downfall to his association with bad women. The amount said to have been taken is \$841,50. Badges was a back messenger.

Whipped by a Mob for Stealing Shoes. LOUISVILLE, Kr., Aug. 10 .- A mob visited the jail in Fulton, Ky., last night and took out Will Conway, a negro who was confined for stealing shoes from a store. They gave him a severe thrashing and then made him leave town warning him that if he ever put foot on Fulton soil again he would be atrung up.

Court Calendars This Day. Court Calendars This Day.

Appellate Division. Supreme Court. Recess.
Supreme Court. Special Term. Part 1. Motion calendar called at 10.30 A.M. Part II. Kaparie matters.
Surrigates' Court Chambers. For probate. Wills of Louisa H. Memmier. Seligman Bach. Henry Creamer. De Witt C. Squires. Richard Relliy, Thomas McPherson, at 10.30 A.M.
City Court. Special Term. Court opens at 10.4. M. Motions.